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Town of Center Harbor

For Year Ending December 31

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ANNUAL REPORT

of the

OFFICERS

of the

TOWN OF CENTER HARBOR

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31

1954

Town Officers 1954

Moderator ..... L. Keith Matheson
Town Clerk ..... Raymond E. Kelley
Town Treasurer ..... Everett M. Heath
Collector of Taxes ..... Clyde C. Brown

SELECTMEN

John A. MacAllister ..... Term Expires 1955
Sylvester W. Rand ..... Term Expires 1956
George C. Haines ..... Term Expires 1957

AUDITORS

Herbert Martin L. Keith Matheson

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

George E. Haines ..... Term Expires 1955
Maurice C. Chase ..... Term Expires 1956
Raymond Kelley ..... Term Expires 1957

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Everett M. Heath ..... Term Expires 1955
Francis Chase ..... Term Expires 1956
Raymond Kelley ..... Term Expires 1957

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

Bertrice Obert Leon Manville Norris Bartlett

POLICE

Chief ..... William Thomas
Special ..... George E. Haines
Clyde C. Brown
Health Officer ..... L. Keith Matheson

State of New Hampshire

TOWN OF CENTER HARBOR

Town Warrant

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Center Harbor in the County of Belknap in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Center Harbor on Tuesday, the Eighth day of March, next at 10:00 of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise for highways and bridges.

4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money for Town purposes in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to defray expenses of Memorial Day and if so how much.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise $905.50 to defray expenses of street lights in Center Harbor Village.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise money for aid to Laconia Hospital, and if so how much.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise $2,500.00 for welfare work.

9. To see the Town will vote to raise $2,500.00 for maintenance of the Fire Department.

10. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid Assistance for Class V roads, the Town to raise $150.61, the State to contribute $1,421.41.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $111.00, which is 1/100 of 1% of the assessed valuation of the Town, to the Lakes Region Association.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise money for Band Concerts and if so how much.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise money for oil to be applied to the roads and if so how much.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $300.00 for maintenance of the Town Dump.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $300.00 for repair and care of sidewalks.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $450.00 for maintenance of the Wharf and Fountain.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $500.00 for support and maintenance of Nichols Memorial Library.

18. To see if the Town will vote raise money for Civil Defense and if so how much.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $200.00 for the Red Cross to assist in the water safety program.

20. To see if the Town will vote to have the inventory of town property printed in the Town Report every third year.

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $200.00 for repair of Kelsey Avenue culvert.

22. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $200.00 for improvement of Squam Landing.

23. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $700.00 to purchase a new blade plow for the Highway Dept.

24. To choose agents or committees in relation to any article in the Warrant and hear any reports of any heretofore chosen.

25. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

JOHN A. MacALLISTER
SYLVESTER W. RAND
GEORGE HAINES
Selectmen of Center Harbor

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN A. MacALLISTER
SYLVESTER W. RAND
GEORGE HAINES
Selectmen of Center Harbor

AMOUNTS BUDGETED FOR 1955

Article 2—Town Charges:

Town Officers Salaries	$1,400.00	
Town Officers Expenses	1,200.00	
Election and Registration	25.00	
Expenses of Town Hall	500.00	
Insurance	300.00	
Vital Statistics	20.00	
Health Officer	25.00	
Damages and Legal Expenses	25.00	
Interest Expense-Temporary Loans	75.00	
Police Department	350.00	
Forest Fires	200.00	
Cemeteries	300.00	
Total Budgeted		$4,420.00
Article 3—Highways and Bridges		$5,200.00
Article 5—Memorial Day		125.00
Article 7—Laconia Hospital		375.00
Article 12—Band Concerts and Repair of Bandstand		725.00
Article 13—Oil for Roads		3,000.00
Article 18—Civil Defense		600.00

(Base Station and Mobile Unit—400.00)

(Emergency Power Plant—200.00)

Budget

OF THE TOWN OF CENTER HARBOR

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1955 to December 31, 1955

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of Previous Year Jan. 1, 1954 to Dec. 31, 1954.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	*Estimated Revenue Previous Yr. 1954*	*Actual Revenue Previous Yr. 1954*	*Estim't'd Revenue Ensuing Yr. 1955*
From State			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 557.01	$ 557.01	$ 550.00
Railroad Tax	11.23		
Savings Bank Tax	197.19	197.62	200.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood & Timber	3,143.09	2,232.79	3,100.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes—			
Dog Licenses	140.00	171.00	170.00
Business Lic., Permits & Filing Fees	5.00	9.00	5.00
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	75.00	112.10	110.00
Income of Departments—			
Highway, incl. Rental of Equipment		120.00	100.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,700.00	1,962.23	1,900.00
Sale of Town Property— Maps, Sand & Asphalt		58.50	25.00
Cash Surplus	1,268.58	1,268.58	201.01
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes—			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2	396.00	372.00	380.00
Yield Tax		805.64	
Total Revenue from All Sources Except Property Taxes	7,493.10	7,866.47	6,741.01
Amount to be Raised by Prop. Taxes	$43,267.42	$43,267.42	$53,207.85
Total Revenues			$59,948.86

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Approps. Previous Yr. 1954	Actual Expend. Yr. 1954	Estim't'd Expend. Yr. 1955
Current Maintenance Expenses			
General Government—			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 1,330.00	$ 1,318.56	$ 1,400.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,100.00	1,152.12	1,200.00
Election & Registration Expenses	300.00	201.00	25.00
Exp. Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	250.00	26.07	500.00
Protection of Persons and Property—			
Police Department	300.00	319.60	350.00
Fire Department—$2,500.00 Forest Fires—$200.00	1,700.00	1,700.00	2,700.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust	200.00	20.64	
Insurance	325.00	281.45	300.00
Civil Defense			600.00
Health—			
Health Dept., incl. Hospitals	400.00	400.00	400.00
Vital Statistics	15.00	18.00	20.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	275.00	276.60	300.00
Highways and Bridges—			
Kelsea Avenue Culvert			200.00
Town Maintenance—Summer	2,700.00	2,502.19)	5,200.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,500.00	2,823.44)	
Street Lighting	905.50	830.04	905.50
Gen. Exp. Highway Dept.—Tar	3,000.00	2,381.88	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	209.96	147.36	150.61
Libraries—	500.00	500.00	500.00
Public Welfare—			
Town Poor & Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	3,887.80	2,500.00
Patriotic Purposes—			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Assns.	125.00	125.00	125.00
Recreation—			
Wharf & Fountain	350.00	442.05	450.00
Parks & Playgr'd, incl. Band Concerts	525.00	525.00	725.00
Public Service Enterprises—			
Cemeteries	300.00	306.04	300.00
Improvement of Squam Land	200.00	200.00	200.00
Unclassified—			
Damages, Leg. Exp., incl. Dog Damage	25.00		25.00
Advertising & Regional Associations	112.00	112.00	111.00

Interest—			
On Temporary Loans	75.00	50.00	75.00
Highways and Bridges—			
Sidewalk Construction	125.00	129.00	300.00
New Equip. (1953 Bal.—$99.45)			
Blade Plow	2,000.00	2,069.59	700.00
Red Cross			200.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions—			
County Taxes	2,636.78	2,636.78	2,636.78
School Taxes	24,602.41	23,182.50	33,839.97
Total Expenditures	$49,586.65	$48,864.71	$59,948.86

Inventory of Town for 1954

Land and Buildings	$968,075.00
Mature Wood and Timber	14,450.00
Electric Plants	47,381.00
13 Horses	635.00
115 Cows	15,175.00
11 Neat Stock	1,100.00
34 Sheep and Goats	380.00
3 Hogs	90.00
600 Fowl	425.00
Boat and Launches	66,600.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	6,550.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	585.00
Stock in Trade	11,350.00
Mills and Machinery	2,000.00
Total Gross Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	1,134,796.00
Less: Soldier's Exemptions & Exemptions to Blind	25,375.00
Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed	1,109,421.00

Statement of 1954
Appropriations and Taxes Assessed

Appropriations:

Town Officers Salaries	$1,330.00	
Town Officers Expenses	1,100.00	
Election and Registration Expenses	300.00	
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	250.00	
Police Department	300.00	
Fire Department	1,700.00	
Blister Rust—Moth Exterm.	200.00	
Health Department	400.00	
Town Dump	275.00	
Vital Statistics	15.00	
Town Road Aid	209.96	
Town Maintenance	5,200.00	
Gen. Exp. Highway Dept.	3,000.00	
Insurance	325.00	
Sidewalk Construction	125.00	
Street Lighting	905.00	
New Equipment	2,000.00	
Libraries	500.00	
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	
Memorial Day	125.00	
Parks, Playgrounds, Band Concerts	525.00	
Improvement to Squam Landing	200.00	
Cemeteries	300.00	
Wharf and Fountain	350.00	
Damages & Legal Exp. incl. Dog Damage	25.00	
Advertising & Regional Assns.	112.00	
Payments on Debt—Principal	75.00	
County Tax	2,636.78	
School Tax	24,602.41	
Total Town and School Appropriations		$49,586.65

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividends Tax	$557.01	
Railroad Tax	11.23	
Savings Bank Tax	197.19	
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	3,143.09	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,700.00	
Dog Licenses	140.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	5.00	
Int. on Taxes & Trust Funds	75.00	
Cash Surplus	1,268.58	
Total Revenues and Credits		7,097.10
		42,489.55
Plus Overlay		1,173.87
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		$43,663.42
Less 198 Poll Taxes @ $2.00		396.00
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes on Which Tax Rate is to be Figured		$43,267.42

Taxes to be Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	$43,267.42
Poll Taxes @ $2.00	396.00
Total Taxes to be Committed	$43,663.42

TAX RATE $3.90

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1954

Title of Appropriation	*Appropriation*	*Receipts & Reimb-b'ments*	*Total Available*	*Exp'itures*	*Unexp. Balance*	*O'draft*
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 1,330.00	$	$ 1,330.00	$ 1,318.56	$ 11.44	$
Town Officers' Expenses	1,100.00		1,100.00	1,152.12		52.12
Election & Registration	300.00		300.00	201.00	99.00	
Town Hall Maintenance	250.00		250.00	26.07	223.93	
Police Department	300.00		300.00	319.60		19.60
Fire Dept. & Forest Fire	1,700.00		1,700.00	1,700.00		
Care of Trees	200.00	120.00	320.00	20.64	299.36	
Health Department	400.00		400.00	400.00		
Town Dump	275.00		275.00	276.60		1.60
Vital Statistics	15.00		15.00	18.00		3.00
Town Road Aid	209.96		209.96	147.36	62.60	
Town Maintenance						
Summer ($2,700.00)						
Winter ($2,500.00)	5,200.00	231.00	5,431.00	5,325.63		105.37
Tar Roads	3,000.00		3,000.00	2,381.88	618.12	
Insurance	325.00		325.00	281.45	43.55	
Sidewalk Repair	125.00		125.00	129.00		4.00
Street Lighting	905.50		905.50	905.50		
New Equipment	2,000.00	99.45	2,099.45	2,069.59	29.86	
Libraries	500.00		500.00	500.00		
Old Age Assist. & Town Poor	2,500.00	125.00	2,625.00	3,887.80		1,262.80
Memorial Day	125.00		125.00	121.95	3.05	

Title of Appropriation	*Appropriation*	*Receipts & Reimb-b'ments*	*Total Available*	*Exp'itures*	*Unexp. Balance*	*O'draft*
Band Concerts	525.00		525.00	525.00		
Improvement to Squam Land	200.00		200.00	200.00		
Cemeteries	300.00		300.00	306.04		6.04
Wharf & Fountain	350.00		350.00	442.05		92.05
Damages & Legal Expenses	25.00		25.00			
Advertising & Regional Assn.	112.00		112.00	112.00		
Interest Expense	75.00		75.00	50.00	25.00	
County Tax	2,636.78		2,636.78	2,636.78		
School Tax	24,602.41		24,602.41	24,602.41		
Totals	$49,586.65	$ 575.45	$50,162.10	$50,292.77	$1,415.91	$1,546.58
Net Overdraft of Appropriation						$ 130.67

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

ASSETS—

Cash in Hands of Treasurer		$7,784.64
Unredeemed Taxes:		
From Tax Sale a/c of—Levy of 1953		544.83
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1954		5,387.62
Levy of 1953		4.00
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1954		330.00
State Head Taxes—Previous Years		10.00
Total Assets		$14,061.09

LIABILITIES—

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Due Tax Collector	$4.29	
New Equipment (1954)	29.86	
Kelsea Ave. Culvert (1953)	250.00	
Care of Shade Trees (1948 & 1954)	299.36	
Due to State:		
Head Taxes—Uncollected	$330.00	
Due School Dist.—Bal. of Approp.	7,000.00	
State and Town Joint Highway Construction Account:		
Unexpended balance in Town Treasury	62.60	
Total Liabilities		$7,976.11
Excess of Assets over Liabilities		6,084.98
Grand Total		14,061.09

List of Town Property

Town Hall, Land and Buildings	$4,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	75.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Police Department, Equipment	50.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	2,000.00
Equipment	10,500.00
Highway Department, Equipment	3,500.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	8,100.00
Equipment	2,000.00
Hawkins Land	100.00
Town Dump	300.00
Public Landing—Squam	200.00
Wharf & Landing on Winnipesaukee	3,000.00
Town Clerk's Safe	300.00
	$50,625.00

Town Clerk's Report

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1954

Receipts:

1953 Auto Permits	$ 26.09	
1954 Auto Permits	1,940.55	
1953 Dog Tax	8.00	
1954 Dog Tax	163.00	
Filing Fees	9.00	
		$2,146.64
Paid to Town Treasurer		$2,146.64

RAYMOND E. KELLEY

Town Clerk

Report of Tax Collector

Levy of 1954

— DR —

Warrant Committed to Collector:		
Property Tax	$43,285.60	
Poll Tax	396.00	
Head Tax	1,210.00	
Timber Tax	885.44	
Total Warrant		$45,777.04
Added Tax:		
Poll Tax	12.00	
Head Tax	30.00	
Timber Tax	24.86	
Fines Collected	8.50	
Total Added Tax		75.36
Total Debits		$45,852.40

— CR —

Remittance to Treasurer:		
Property Tax	$37,915.64	
Poll Tax	276.00	
Head Tax	850.00	
Timber Tax	805.64	
Fines	8.50	
		$39,855.78
Abatements:		
Property Tax	195.00	
Poll Tax	24.00	
Head Tax	60.00	
Total Abatements		279.00
Uncollected Per Tax List:		
Property Tax	5,174.96	
Poll Tax	108.00	
Head Tax	330.00	
Timber Tax	104.66	
Total Uncollected Tax		5,717.62
Total Credits		$45,852.40

Levy of 1953

— DR —

Uncollected January 1, 1954:

Head Tax	$ 310.00	
Property Tax	3,561.33	
Poll Tax	100.00	
Timber Tax	47.80	
Total Uncollected		$4,019.13
Interest Collected	112.10	
Penalties Collected	31.50	
Added Poll Tax	8.00	
Added Head Tax	30.00	
		181.60
Total Debits		$4,200.73

— CR —

Remittance to Treasurer:

Property Tax	$3,527.33	
Poll Tax	96.00	
Head Tax	310.00	
Timber Tax	47.80	
Interest	112.10	
Fines	31.50	
Total Remittance to Treasurer		$4,124.73

Abatements Allowed:

Property Tax	34.00	
Poll Tax	8.00	
Head Tax	20.00	
		62.00

Uncollected Tax:

Poll Tax	4.00	
Head Tax	10.00	
		14.00
Total Credits		$4,200.73

Summary of Tax Sale Account as of December 31, 1954

— DR —

Tax Sale Account of Levy of 1953

Tax Sale to Town During Current Fiscal Year	$544.83
Total Debit	$544.83
— CR —	
Unredeemed Taxes at Close of Year	$544.83
Total Credit	$544.83

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sale

On Account of Levy of 1953

Houston, Charles	$461.23
Daigneau, Arthur	9.72
Laconia Sand and Gravel	11.48
Miller, Marguerite	62.40
Total	$544.83

Respectfully submitted,

CLYDE C. BROWN

Tax Collector

Town Treasurer's Report

January 1, 1955

Receipts:

Cash on Hand—January 1, 1954		$ 7,524.63
1953 Polls	96.00	
1953 Head Tax	310.00	
1953 Property Tax	3,527.33	
1953 Interest	112.10	
1953 Head Tax Fines	31.50	
1953 Timber Tax	47.80	
1954 Polls	276.00	
1954 Head Tax	850.00	
1954 Property Tax	37,915.64	
1954 Head Tax Fines	8.50	
1954 Timber Tax	805.64	
		43,980.51
From R. E. Kelley:		
1953 Auto Tax	26.09	
1953 Dog Tax	8.00	
1954 Auto Tax	1,940.55	
1954 Dog Tax	163.00	
Filing Fees	9.00	
		2,146.64
From Meredith Trust Co.:		
Loan in Anticipation Taxes	5,000.00	5,000.00
From Selectmen:		
Sale of Town Maps	4.50	
Gas Tax Refund	8.45	
Forest Fire Training	6.06	
Interest & Dividend Tax	557.01	
Asphalt Sold	48.00	
Gift for Tax Loss	1,750.00	
Snow Plowing	84.00	
Savings Bank & R. R. Tax	197.62	
Refund—Town Aid	5.00	
Refund—Head Tax	341.10	
Refund—Forestry Dept.	12.48	
Refund—T. R. A.	358.75	
T. R. A.	1,171.75	
Motor Vehicle Road Toll	48.55	
Timber Tax Reimbursement	2,232.79	
		6,826.06

From George Haines:		
Sand Sold	6.00	
Bulldozing	36.00	
		42.00
From William Thomas:		
Refund—Memorial Day	3.05	3.05
From State of N. H.:		
Welfare Refund	120.00	120.00
Total Receipts		$65,642.89

Payments:

Selectmen's Orders Paid	57,858.25
Cash on Hand December 31, 1954	$ 7,784.64

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT M. HEATH

Treasurer

Summary of Receipts

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes:		
Property Taxes—1954	37,915.64	
Poll Taxes—1954	276.00	
Yield Taxes—1954	805.64	
State Head Taxes—1954	850.00	
Total 1954 Taxes Coll. & Remitted		$39,847.28
Property & Yield Taxes—Prev. Years		3,575.13
Poll Taxes—Previous Years @ $2.		96.00
State Head Taxes @ $5.—Previous Years		310.00
Interest Received on Taxes		112.00
Penalties on State Head Taxes		40.00
From State:		
For Town Road Aid	1,530.50	
Interest & Dividends Tax	557.01	
Railroad Tax	197.62	
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood & Timber	2,232.79	
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	171.00	
Business Lic., Permits & Filing Fees	9.00	
Income from Highway Dept.	120.00	
Reg. of Motor Vehicles—1953	26.09	
Reg. of Motor Vehicles—1954	1,940.55	
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:		
Temporary Loans Anticipation Taxes	5,000.00	
Refunds Head Tax	341.10	
Gifts—Edw. Dane & E. B. Dane, Jr.	1,750.00	
Sale of Town Property	58.50	
Refunds—Gas Tax	57.00	
Refunds—Forest Fire Training	18.54	
Refunds—Memorial Day	3.05	
Refunds—Welfare	125.00	
Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		7,353.19
Total Receipts from All Sources		58,118.26
Cash on Hand January 1, 1954		7,524.63
Grand Total		$65,642.89

Summary of Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries		$ 1,318.56
Town Officers' Expenses		1,152.12
Election & Registration Expenses		201.00
Exp. Town Hall & Other Bldgs.		26.07
Protection of Persons & Property:		
Police Department		319.60
Fire Dept., incl. Forest Fires		1,700.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust		20.64
Bounties		58.50
Insurance		281.45
Health:		
Health Dept., including Hospital		400.00
Vital Statistics		18.00
Town Dump		276.60
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Road Aid		1,677.86
Town Maintenance—		
Summer	$2,502.19	
Winter	2,823.44	5,325.63
Street Lighting		830.04
Gen. Exp. Highway Dept.—Tar Roads		2,381.88
Libraries:		500.00
Public Welfare:		
Old Age Assistance		1,515.27
Town Poor		2,372.53
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day & Veteran's Assns.		125.00
Recreation:		
Sidewalks		129.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Wharf & Fountain		442.05
Cemeteries		306.04
Band Concerts		525.00

Unclassified:			
Advertising & Regional Assns.		112.00	
Taxes Bought by Town		540.54	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses			$22,555.38
Interest:			
Paid on Temporary Loans		50.00	
Total Interest Payments			50.00
Outlay for New Construction, Equip. & Permanent Improvements:			
Squam Landing		200.00	
New Equipment—Highway		2,069.59	
Total Outlay Payments			2,269.59
Indebtedness:			
Payment on Temporary Loans		5,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments			5,000.00
Payments to Other Govt. Divisions:			
State Head Taxes Paid State Treas.			
1954 Taxes	757.65		
Prior Years	1,406.35	2,164.00	
Taxes Paid to County		2,636.78	
Payments to School Districts			
1953 Tax	5,000.00		
1954 Tax	18,182.50	23,182.50	
Total Payments Other Govt. Divisions			27,983.28
Total Payments for All Purposes			$57,858.25
Cash on Hand December 31, 1954			7,784.64
Grand Total			$65,642.89

Detailed Statement of Payments

Town Officers' Salaries:

George C. Haines, Selectman	$ 225.00	
Sylvester W. Rand, Selectman	225.00	
John A. MacAllister, Selectman	225.00	
Clyde C. Brown, Tax Collector	398.58	
Everett M. Heath, Treasurer	125.00	
Raymond Kelley, Town Clerk	100.00	
L. Keith Matheson, Auditor	10.00	
Herbert Martin, Auditor	10.00	$1,318.56

Town Officers' Expenses:

Edson Eastman Co., Officers' Supplies	32.11	
N. H. Assessors Assn., Dues	3.00	
L. K. Matheson, Auditor's Expenses	2.38	
Meredith Pub. Corp., Town Reports	440.00	
Clyde Foss Agency, Town Officers' Bonds	76.00	
Meredith Pub. Corp., Ballots	9.75	
Raymond Kelley, Auto Guide	7.00	
Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	4.58	
Charles Raymond, Transfer Cards	15.60	
Phillip Hodgkins, Town Map	87.77	
J. MacAllister, Selectman's Supplies	9.99	
N. P. Randlett, Printing Town Map	13.20	
N. H. Tax Collectors' Assn., Dues	3.00	
William Keller, Legal Advice	2.50	
Clyde C. Brown, Stamps	15.00	
Sargent Bros., Tax Bills	15.75	
E. M. Heath, Ledger	.59	
George Haines, Selectman's Expenses	7.95	
E. M. Heath, Treasurer's Expenses	10.00	
J. MacAllister, Secretary Salary	200.00	
J. MacAllister, Telephone & Supplies	10.75	
Raymond Kelley, Town Clerk's Exp.	185.20	1,152.12

Election & Registration:

Leon Manville, Sup. of Check List	75.00	
Bertrice Obert, Sup. of Check List	60.00	
Norris P. Bartlett, Sup. of Check List	30.00	
George Nicholson, Ballot Clerk	12.00	
Francis Chase, Ballot Clerk	12.00	
Dorothy Anderson, Ballot Clerk	9.00	
Thelma Smith, Ballot Clerk	3.00	201.00

Insurance:

Guy U. Horne Agency, Work Comp. & Pub. Liab.		281.45

Health Department:

L. Keith Matheson, Health Officer	25.00	
Laconia Hospital	375.00	400.00

Town Hall & Other Buildings:

White Mountain Power Company	16.07	
Rutherford Anderson, Custodian	10.00	26.07

Police:

Adrian Marshall, M. D.	5.00	
Charles Haines,, Paint	9.30	
C. A. Wilder, Accident Call	4.00	
Gerald Taylor, Jr., Duty	196.00	
William Thomas, Duty	53.00	
Meredith Sport Shop, Repairs	7.30	
C. C. Brown, Special	10.00	
George Haines, Special & Dog Warden	35.00	319.60

Fire Department:

Raymond Kelley, Chief-For. Fire School	37.08	
Herbert Martin, Treasurer	1,662.92	1,700.00

Blister Rust & Care of Trees:

Charles Haines, Spray		20.64

Improvement of Squam Landing:

Charles Haines, Payrolls	58.50	
Est. of O. Lord, Fill	21.50	
Charles Haines, Bills	120.00	200.00

Sidewalk Care:

Charles Haines, Payrolls	113.00	
Charles Haines, Bills	16.00	129.00

Town Maintenance—Summer

Charles Haines, Payrolls	1,211.00	
Guy U. Horne, Truck Insurance	40.95	
Charles Haines, Bills	1,250.24	2,502.19

Town Maintenance—Winter

Charles Haines, Payrolls	1,265.85	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	286.44	
N. H. Explosives & Mach. Co.	25.01	
Charles Haines, Bills	1,246.14	2,823.44

New Equipment:

Deming Chevrolet, New Truck	1,750.00	
R. C. Hazelton Co., Plow Frame	319.59	2,069.59

Wharf & Fountain:

White Mt. Power Co.	17.57	
P. Traversy, Lumber	23.40	
John Jenks, Plumbing	15.30	
Charles Haines, Payrolls & Bills	350.00	442.05

Tar Roads:

Trimount Bituminous Products, Tar	984.88	
State of N. H., Grading	134.90	
Charles Haines, Payrolls	698.00	
Charles Haines, Bills	564.10	2,381.88

Town Dump:

Charles Haines, Payrolls	111.50	
Charles Haines, Bills	165.10	276.60

Town Highway Maintenance

Summer:

George E. Haines	$ 494.25	
Charles A. Haines	354.75	
Nelson S. Hawkins	186.00	
George C. Haines	105.00	
Theodore McClay	4.00	
Earl McClay	67.00	
		$1,211.00

Winter:

Charles A. Haines	561.50	
George E. Haines	479.00	
Nelson S. Hawkins	107.60	
George C. Haines	48.75	
Earl McClay	23.00	
Theodore McClay	34.00	
Bernard King	12.00	
		1,265.85

Tar Roads:

George E. Haines	310.00	
Charles A. Haines	91.50	
George C. Haines	67.50	
Earl McClay	33.00	
Nelson S. Hawkins	196.00	
		698.00

Wharf & Fountain:

Charles A. Haines	37.00	
George E. Haines	129.50	
Nelson S. Hawkins	48.70	
George Brown	2.00	
George C. Haines	5.00	
Earl McClay	38.00	
Bernard King	12.00	
Roger S. Haines	5.00	
		277.20

Dump:

George E. Haines	45.75	
Nelson S. Hawkins	24.00	
Charles A. Haines	10.00	
George C. Haines	15.75	
Wayne King	16.00	
		111.50

Sidewalks:

Earl McClay	2.00	
Charles A. Haines	33.75	
George E. Haines	41.25	
Nelson S. Hawkins	31.00	
George C. Haines	5.00	
		113.00

Care of Trees:

George E. Haines	5.00	
Nelson S. Hawkins	4.00	
		9.00

Squam Landing:

Charles A. Haines	23.75	
George E. Haines	23.75	
Nelson S. Hawkins	11.00	
		58.50

Report of Health Officer

Through the cooperation of the Division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene of the N. H. State Board of Health, and Joanna M. Carter, R. N., State Nurse, together with local agencies, two clinics were held at the Nichols Memorial Library and one at a local doctor's office.

At these clinics children were inoculated against diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough.

Local school children also participated in the nation-wide tests of the new polio vaccine.

There have been an unusual number of childhood diseases this past year, particularly measles.

Through the cooperation of the State Board of Health and the Water Pollution Board, water in the swimming area at the local beach was tested for pollution, and found to be safe for swimming. It is hoped to continue this practice each year.

KEITH MATHESON

Health Officer

Cemetery Report

George E. Haines	$112.25	
Nelson S. Hawkins	104.00	
Earl McClay	26.00	
George C. Haines	17.50	
		259.75
Bills:		
E. M. Heath, Cutting Edges	2.50	
½ Lawn Mower	38.00	
Rake	2.49	
Meredith Grain Store, Cement	1.30	
Geo. E. Haines, Cash Paid Out Mower Sharpened	2.00	
		42.69
		$306.04

Report of Memorial Day Committee

Town Appropriation		$125.00
Paid Out:		
For Band	75.00	
E. M. Heath, Flag 5x8	10.00	
Refreshments for Veterans	25.00	
Flags for Graves, 2 dozen	3.50	
C. E. Nichols, Ice Cream	3.45	
For Grange Hall	5.00	
Total		121.95
Balance		$ 3.05

I want to thank the teachers for a splendid program they prepared and gave. Also to thank E. M. Heath for the ice cream bars.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM THOMAS
Memorial Day Committee

Secretary's Report — American Red Cross

CENTER HARBOR BRANCH
July 1953 to July 1954

Two meetings of the Red Cross were held during the past year, one on April 29 and one July 12. At the April meeting it was reported that the Roll Call Drive had gone well over the quota of the town.

At the annual meeting in July the following officers were elected for 1954-55: Chairman, Mrs. Bertrice Obert; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Ethel Hughes; Secretary, Mrs. Dorothy MacAllister; Treasurer, Mr. Herbert Martin.

Mr. Robert Goodwin was hired as lifeguard for nine weeks during the summer months. Classes in swimming and lifesaving were held five days a week from ten to twelve and one-thirty to five. Besides this Mr. Goodwin was on duty each Saturday and Sunday. A demonstration of what the children had learned plus graduation exercises were held at the close of the season.

The hospital bed and crutches have been used during the past year. An attempt was made to start a home nursing and a first aid course but due to lack of interest this was not carried out.

The Red Cross is again supplying vitamin pills for the school children during the school year of 1954-55.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY F. MacALLISTER
Secretary

Red Cross Treasurer's Report

Receipts:

Cash on Hand July 1, 1953		$407.37
From Mrs. Heath, Thermometer	.75	
Roll Call 1954	174.58	
Bank Interest	11.06	
		186.39
Total		$593.76

Expenditures:

L. Keith Matheson, Transp. to Clinic	6.85	
Bert Obert, Telephone & Telegrams	6.06	
Nichols' Variety Stors, Supp. Ossipee Fire	1.13	
Robbins' Store, Supplies Ossipee Fire	1.04	
Frances Chase, Transp. to Clinic	2.52	
Am. Red Cross, Bal. on Student Pins	.40	
Clinic Pharmacy, Vit. Pills for School	17.79	
Meredith Chapter, A. R. C.	78.38	
		114.17
Cash on Hand July 1, 1954		$479.59

Center Harbor Fire Company

Treasurer's Report for 1954

Receipts:

Cash on Hand January 1, 1954		$ 450.51
Town Appropriation	$1,500.00	
Balance Forest Fire Fund 1953	135.68	
Balance Forest Fire Fund 1954	162.92	
From Moultonboro—3 Fires 1953	80.00	
Janitor's Fee at Fire House	2.00	
W. I. Brown, Dues 30 Members	30.00	
Donation	.06	
		1,910.66
Total Receipts		$2,361.17

Expenditures:

New England Tel. & Tel.	$ 76.04
White Mountain Power Co.	52.35
H. A. Wallace, 2673 Gal. Fuel	402.11
Nichols' Variety Store, Gas, Oil, Prestone	26.36
E. M. Heath, Paint, Soda, Lantern	16.87
F. S. McHugh, Oil Burner Service	25.30
Gammons Ins. Agency 1953 Accident & Health Ins.	133.50
F. E. Merrill Agency 1954 Accident & Health Ins.	133.50
F. M. Weeks, 2 Foam Charges	2.30
J. McCarthy Co., 200 ft. 2½" Hose	330.00
Center Harbor Garage, 6 State Insp.	6.00
Mutual Aid Dues	6.00
Henry Provost, Dues 35 Members	35.00
Clyde Foss Agency, Ins. 3 Trucks	179.18
Bertram Blaisdell Agency Ins. on Fire House	112.13
Sears Roebuck & Co., Battery Charger	16.54
Sylvester Rand, Insulation	15.12
V. H. Blackinton, 6 Badges	11.70
Annie Simmonds, Bench Vise	4.06
W. I. Brown, Dues	3.00

American Fire Equipment Co.		
Hose Expansion Rings	27.60	
Robert Holland, Elec. Supplies	24.34	
Bank Service Charge	3.68	
		1,642.62
Cash on Hand December 31, 1954		$ 718.55

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT MARTIN

Treasurer

Report of Auditors

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

L. KEITH MATHESON
HERBERT MARTIN
Town Auditors

Report of Forest Fire Warden

Howdy, folks. This is your friend, Smokey the Fire Prevention Bear talking for Raymond Kelley, your local forest fire warden. You know how he is always asking you people to take it easy with fire in the woods? Well, he wants you to know that forest fires decreased last year. He knows it did rain some but it was the help of all you people who are giving their time and money and carefulness to prevent this shameful waste of our woodlands. But please remember this, folks, forest fires still do a lot of damage each year. And we got to work and work to whittle them down to our size. So when you're around forest areas, crush out your cigarette, hold your match till it's cold, drown your campfire and drown it again. If you have to burn grass or brush or rubbish, ask about the law first, also get your permit from your warden and last, have plenty of help handy. Please remember a permit is required for all open fires whether in an incinerator or on a piece of plowed ground. Your local forest fire warden will help you in your burning problem and he is as close as your telephone. Please call him.

Each year forest fires destroy enough sawtimber to build all the homes in a city of one-half million people.

Each year forest fires eat up enough sawtimber to make ties for 50,000 miles of railroad tracks.

Each year forest fires destroy enough pulp-size trees to provide a 12-month supply of newsprint for every newspaper in the United States.

Remember . . . . Only You Can Prevent Forest Fires

Number of Fires	0
Number of Acres Burned	0
Number of Permits Issued	21

RAYMOND KELLEY
Forest Fire Warden

ROBERT B. SMITH
District Chief

CENTER HARBOR

School Report

1954

State of New Hampshire

School District Warrant

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Center Harbor, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said District on the 29th day of March 1955, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

(Polls for election of officers to be open not later than 4:00 and closed not earlier than 9:00. Other Warrant articles to be acted upon beginning at 8 P. M.)

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To see if the District will vote to approve the recommendation of the supervisory union board in providing for a guidance counselor for the schools of the union for the coming year, in cooperation with the Federal government, at an estimated cost of $118.50 as this District's share.

8. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the District will vote to appoint a committee consisting of the school board, the selectmen, and three members chosen by the Moderator, to investigate the proposal of forming a cooperative district consisting of Center Harbor and Moultonboro, and to report at the next regular or special school district meeting.

10. To see if the district will vote to appropriate a sum not to exceed $4,000 to purchase and install an adequate heating system in the school building.

11. If the preceding article is voted in the affirmative, to see how much, if any, of the appropriation shall be raised by taxation at this meeting and how much shall be borrowed on short term notes on the credit of the district, payable in not more than four years.

12. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Center Harbor this 11th day of February 1955.

W. IRVING BROWN
RUTH P. HALE
JOHN V. JEWETT

School Board of
Center Harbor, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

W. IRVING BROWN
RUTH P. HALE
JOHN V. JEWETT

School Board of
Center Harbor, N. H.

Minutes of 1954 Annual School Meeting

The 1954 Annual Meeting of the School District of Center Harbor was called to order at eight p. m. at the Town Hall, Wednesday, March 3, 1954, by the Chairman of the School Board, Sylvester W. Rand.

Article 1. L. Keith Matheson was elected to serve as Moderator and was duly sworn in.

Article 2. L. Keith Matheson, Moderator read the Warrant in its entirety and asked for nominations for Clerk. Athalie Rand and Lucile Matheson were nominated for this office. The Moderator appointed Sylvester Rand to act as teller and the following results were announced:

Total number of votes	40
Athalie Rand	35
Lucile Matheson	5

Twenty-one votes being necessary for a choice, Athalie Rand was elected as Clerk and duly sworn in.

Article 3. It was voted to have the Clerk cast one ballot for Mr. John Jewett to serve as a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years. He was declared elected.

Article 4. It was the vote of the meeting that the Clerk cast one ballot for Carrie Kelley to act as Treasurer for the ensuing year. She was declared elected.

Article 5. It was voted that the salaries of the School Board, Truant Officer and other agents of the district remain the same as last year.

Article 6. A report was given by the committee appointed in the Annual School Meeting of 1953 to represent the Center Harbor School District on the matter of a Co-operative School. No further reports were given at this time other than those already found in the Town Report.

Article 7. It was voted that the Town Auditors act as the Auditors for the School District. Mr. Irving Brown made the motion that the remainder of this article be tabled until the conclusion of Article 12. The motion was seconded and carried.

Article 8. The motion was made and seconded that the budget of the School Board be accepted and the estimated amount of $25,308.50 be raised for the year of 1954-55. The vote was in the affirmative.

Article 9. The Moderator announced the discussion of this article would precede the motion. A lengthy discussion followed in which the School Board and voters participated. Mr. Almon Bushnell, Supt. of Schools, was given permission by the voters to speak in answer to the many questions raised. At the termination of the discussion, Mr. Irving Brown made the motion that the School District vote to petition the State Board of Education to become a part of a cooperative school district, comprising Center Harbor and Meredith to provide for the educational needs and services of all elementary and secondary school children. At the suggestion of Sylvester Rand, School Board Chairman, Mr. Brown amended his motion. The amendment reading—"and that this vote be made by ballot and a majority vote rule." Action was first taken on the amendment and it was voted that the amendment be accepted. The entire motion was then made and seconded. The Moderator appointed the Clerk and Chairman of the School Board to pass the ballots to all qualified voters. After a period allowed for voting the Clerk passed the ballot box and the votes were collected. A recess was then declared by the Moderator while the results of the vote were determined. The Moderator and the Clerk counted the votes and made the tabulation. The meeting was again called to order and the following results were read by the Moderator:

Number of votes cast 60
In favor of motion ..... 31 (yes)
In opposition to motion ..... 29 (no)

A majority vote being final the Center Harbor School District will petition the State Board of Education to become a part of a cooperative School District of the region comprising Center Harbor and Meredith to provide for the educational needs and services of all Elementary and Secondary school children.

Article 10. Clyde Brown nominated Ruth Hale and W. Irving Brown to serve as representatives on the Interim Committee. The nominees were unanimously elected.

Article 11. It was voted that the School District adopt a non-partisan ballot system for the election of District Officers to take effect at the regular meeting of 1955.

Article 12. Article number 7 which had been tabled until this time was reconsidered but there were no further committees to appoint.

The meeting was adjourned at ten thirty-five p. m.

ATHALIE L. RAND
Clerk

Minutes of Special School District Meeting

October 5, 1954

L. Keith Matheson, Moderator for the School District of Center Harbor called the meeting to order at eight p. m. in the town house on October 5, 1954. Athalie Rand, Clerk of the School District, was present to record the minutes of the meeting.

The Warrant was read and the following action was taken:

Article 1.

John Dennis made the motion that the School District of Center Harbor vote to petition the State Board of Education to become a part of a cooperative school district of the region comprising Meredith, Center Harbor, Ashland, Holderness, Moultonboro and Sandwich, to provide for the educational needs of all pupils in grades 7 through 12.

The motion was seconded by John McAllister.

Approximately an hour of discussion followed at the end of which the Moderator announced if there were no further discussion the previous question would be moved and the vote taken by ballot. There was no further discussion and the group unanimously manifested their readiness for the vote to be taken.

Mr. Maurice Chase made the motion that the town's checklist be used in the voting. Lester Swinnerton seconded the motion. This motion was voted in the affirmative.

Mrs. Bertrice Obert and Mr. Leon Manville would supervise the checklist of the town.

The moderator appointed John Jewett and Athalie Rand to act as tellers.

Ballots were passed and the polls declared open. After all had voted who were eligible and cared to—the polls were declared closed by the Moderator. The vote was tabulated as follows:

No. of votes cast (as reported by Checklist Supervisor) .. 66
No. of votes cast (as reported by tellers) 66

Necessary for decision 34
Affirmative votes 51
Negative votes 15

The Moderator therefore declared that the School District of Center Harbor would petition the State Board of Education to become a part of a cooperative School District of the

region comprising Meredith, Center Harbor, Ashland, Holderness, Moultonboro and Sandwich to provide for the educational needs of all pupils in grades seven through twelve.

Irving Brown, Oren Collins and Robert Benoit were nominated as possible representatives to serve on the Interim Committee. There were no further nominations. Irving Brown made the motion that the vote be made by ballot. John Jewett seconded the motion. The motion was voted in the affirmative. John MacAllister made the motion that the checklist be ignored while making this vote. Sylvester Rand seconded the motion. This motion was voted in the affirmative.

The Moderator declared that the polls were open and (ballots were passed by the tellers) the district was to elect two representatives to serve on the Interim Committee. That is each voter would write the names of two of the nominees on his or her ballot for representatives.

After all had voted who were eligible and wished to—the polls were declared closed by the Moderator.

The votes were then counted by the tellers and tabulated as follows:

Number of votes cast	58
Voted for Irving Brown	41
Voted for Oren Collins	42
Voted for Robert Benoit	29

The Moderator announced that Irving Brown and Oren Collins would serve as representatives of the Center Harbor School District on an Interim Committee who shall prepare a financial budget for the operation of the proposed cooperative school district and include in the organization warrant an article calling for an appropriation for the operation of the proposed cooperative school district during the first year and such items of business as need to be acted upon at the organization meeting.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned by the Moderator at nine thirty p. m.

ATHALIE L. RAND, Clerk

Center Harbor School District

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Proposed Meredith-Center Harbor School District

April 5, 1954

Dr. Arthur Pottle called the meeting to order at 8:10 p. m.—April 5, 1954—in the Meredith Town Hall, Meredith, New Hampshire. Due to the large number present it was necessary to hold the meeting in a larger building. Before action was taken on this matter, however, the Warrant was read in its entirety and prayer was offered by Rev. Francis Cooper, Pastor of the Congregational Church in Meredith.

Carl Chase, member of the Interim Committee, made the motion that the group adjourn to the St. Charles Auditorium which would more adequately care for the large number gathered and immediately continue this meeting. The motion was seconded and voted unanimously in the affirmative.

The meeting was again called to order at the Auditorium by Dr. Pottle and the following action was taken on the Warrant:

Article 1. Arthur Pottle was nominated to serve as Moderator for the ensuing year. As there were no further nominations, Irving Brown, Chm. Interim Committee, was empowered by the voice of the people to cast one ballot for this office and Arthur Pottle was duly elected.

Article 2. Athalie Rand and Blanche O'Brien were nominated for the office of clerk 'pro tem'. Mrs. O'Brien declined the nomination. There were no further nominations. W. Irving Brown was instructed by the people to cast one ballot for clerk 'pro tem' and Athalie Rand was duly elected.

Arthur Pottle, Moderator, and Athalie Rand, Clerk 'pro tem', were duly sworn in by John Ramsey, Attorney-at-law—Notary Public.

Article 3. Jane Ambrose, Member of the Interim Committee, made the motion that the district adopt the resolution as stated in Article 3 of the Warrant—"Resolved that the Meredith-Center Harbor Cooperative School District of the towns of Meredith and Center Harbor be organized and a Cooperative School District be established to provide for the educational needs and services of all elementary and secondary school children of the aforesaid school districts of Meredith and Center Har-

bor, New Hampshire, and that its date of establishment be effective as of July 1, 1954. The motion was seconded. A lengthy discussion followed at the close of which W. Irving Brown moved the Previous Question. The motion was seconded and voted in the affirmative (2/3 vote—by show of hands).

The Moderator again read the motion in its entirety and stated that the vote would be made by ballot as required by law. He appointed the following to act as Tellers:

From Center Harbor—
Irving Brown and Herbert Martin

From Meredith—
Marshall Hodsdon and John Ramsey

The School Boards appointed the following to act as Checkers:

From Center Harbor—
John MacAllister and Clyde Brown

From Meredith—
Beverly Martin and Marion Chase

The ballots were then passed to all eligible voters and the Moderator declared the ballot open. After all had voted who were eligible and who wished to do so, the ballot was declared closed by the Moderator.
The vote was counted and the following report submitted by the Tellers to the Moderator was read:

Number of Votes Cast	362
Necessary for Choice	182
Votes Cast in the Negative	237 (no)
Votes Cast in the Affirmative .	125 (yes)

The motion was therefore voted in the negative and the resolution as stated in Article 3 of the Warrant will not be adopted.

As this resolution was not adopted there were no further proceedings at the meeting except John Ramsey made the motion to reconsider the question and that a meeting for this purpose should not be called before six months but within two year's time of the present meeting. (In order to make this motion John Ramsey goes on record as voting with the majority on the question.) The motion was seconded and voted in the affirmative. This action makes it possible to call a special meeting of the two towns without again petitioning the State Department of Education.

Mr. Earl Welch asked that an informal vote (by show of hands) be taken of those who would be interested in consoli-

dation on the high school level. The vote showed an interest in consolidation on this level.

It was the unanimous vote of the assembly that their appreciation be realized on being allowed to hold this meeting in the St. Charles Auditorium and that this expression of appreciation be recorded in the minutes.

The meeting was adjourned by the Moderator at 10:35 p. m.

ATHALIE L. RAND

Clerk 'pro tem'

Treasurer's Report

Center Harbor School District

For Year Ending June 30, 1954

Cash on Hand July 1, 1953		$1,045.83
Current Approp. from Selectmen	$17,724.83	
Bal. of Previous Appropriations	3,000.00	
Federal Funds from State Treasurer	139.53	
Received from Trust Funds	150.00	
Received from All Other Sources	105.91	
Total Receipts		21,120.27
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		22,166.10
Less School Board Orders Paid		21,916.01
Balance on Hand June 30, 1954		$ 250.09

Respectfully submitted,

CARRIE H. KELLEY

Treasurer

Report of Secretary

Center Harbor School District

Receipts:

Cash on Hand July 1, 1953		$ 1,045.83
Federal Aid: School Lunch Program		139.53
Local Taxation—Current Appropriation		17,724.83
Balance Previous Appropriation		3,000.00
		21,910.19
Other Sources—		
Trust Funds	150.00	
Refunds	105.91	
		255.91
Total Receipts		$22,166.10

Expenditures:

Salaries of District Officers	205.00	
Superintendent's Salary	211.29	
Per Capita Tax	162.00	
Administrative Personnel	156.41	
Other Administrative Expense	163.71	
		898.41
Instruction—		
Teachers' Salaries	6,134.39	
Books	219.61	
Scholars Supplies	294.25	
Other Exp. Instruction	56.12	
Traveling Expense of Principal	300.00	
		7,004.37
Operation and Maintenance—		
Janitor's Salary & Expenses	358.00	
Fuel	533.28	
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses	193.45	
Repairs & Replacements	467.84	
		1,552.57
Auxiliary Activities—		
Health Supervision	495.31	
		495.31

Transportation—		
High School	1,182.00	
Elementary	2,490.00	
		3,672.00
Tuition—		
High School	5,161.46	
Elementary	1,716.44	
		6,877.90
School Lunch Program—		
Cook's Salary	400.00	
Refrigerator & Stove	257.60	
Reimbursements	139.53	
Transportation of Supplies	56.63	
		853.76
Bulldozing Playground	123.00	
		123.00
Fixed Charges—		
Teachers' Retirement	438.69	
		438.69
Total Expenditures		21,916.01
Balance on Hand July 1, 1954		250.09
		$22,166.10

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH P. HALE

Secretary

Supervisory Union Report

FINANCIAL

The union budget for the 1955-56 school year is apportioned among the six districts in this manner:

DISTRICT		*Supt's Salary*	*Travel, Secretary & Other Exp.*	*Guidance Director*
Ashland	(23.56%)	$1,060.20	$1,313.47	$ 589.00
Meredith	(34.9 %)	1,570.50	1,945.67	872.50
Center Harbor	(4.74%)	213.30	264.26	118.50
Holderness	(13.34%)	600.30	743.70	333.50
Moultonboro	(12.02%)	540.90	670.12	300.50
Sandwich	(11.44%)	514.80	637.78	286.00
Total		$4,500.00	$5,575.00	$2,500.00

The superintendent's salary this year is $6,300, of which $3,800 is collected from the six local districts and the balance of $2,500 is paid by the state.

PROPOSED GUIDANCE PROGRAM

The item of a guidance director, at an estimated cost of $2,500, is to be matched by an equal sum from a Federal appropriation. For two years the union board has been considering the need for the services such a person could perform. Since this is a new service, however, the state law provides that each district must vote separately on this under a special article in the warrant.

A guidance director is of specific help and counsel in various fields. On the elementary level, he can direct remedial work with children who are emotionally upset or who need assistance in their learning processes; and he can help the eighth graders choose their high school courses wisely and get a confident and successful start in high school.

On the secondary level, our high school teenagers often fail to find themselves, vocationally and socially. Helping our high school boys and girls to realize their abilities and limitations and steering them into the right field of further study or of positions in business and industry is an invaluable service which the guidance director can render for our youth.

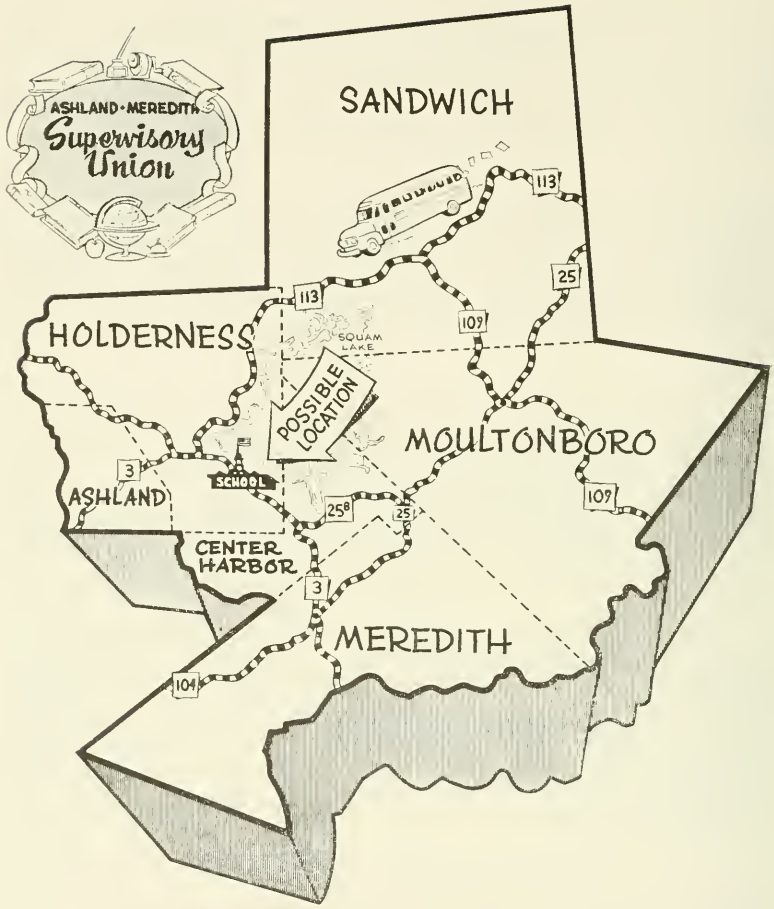
Most of our cities provide a guidance director as part of their regular staff. Small towns cannot afford to do this, but on a union-wide basis the cost would be reasonable. The Epping-Newmarket union started such a plan two years ago; it has proved very popular there, and several unions in Vermont and Maine have also reported good results from this type of service.

Our principals and teachers have in many cases been extremely helpful in guidance work. However, I feel that we need a counselor who has special training for this work, and who could devote his entire time to it. He would also counsel with teachers and principals, to assist them to do better what they are already attempting. I recommend the employment of a guidance director as an excellent investment in better education.

PROPOSED COOPERATIVE HIGH SCHOOL

Since last year's report, an active effort has been made to form a cooperative district for grades 7 through 12, for the districts in this union. Such a plan should relieve the crowded conditions existing in most of our schools, and at the same time create a school large enough to provide a curriculum which would be impossible in any one of our three separate small secondary schools.

The towns of this union have been approved by the state board of education as constituting a unit of suitable size and property valuation. Three of the districts have already voted on the question of joining; the other three districts will take action on the matter at the 1955 annual meeting, or at a later special meeting called for the purpose.



The accompanying map shows the extent of the proposed larger district, and indicates a possible location which is approximately central, based upon a study of pupil-miles of necessary transportation. The actual location would have to be determined by vote of the district, or by a committee chosen by the voters.

The original plan contemplated a building to house grades 7 through 12, starting with about 600 pupils. An architect's sketch was prepared for such a building, but the estimated cost exceeded our bonding limit. It seems possible, however, to provide a central high school for grades 9 - 12 (about 400 pupils at the start) within our means. This would mean that the cooperative or union board could maintain a central senior high school in the new location, and separate junior high school units (one in Ashland and one in

Meredith at least—perhaps others if it should seem best).

New England people are traditionally conservative, and it always seems easier to vote "no" on any proposed change. However, it is a proven fact that the smaller the school, the greater the cost per pupil. Hundreds of communities throughout our nation have found the larger district a practical means of improving their educational facilities without unreasonable expense.

State aid for buildings, as well as some assistance from the Federal government, is being seriously considered. If funds from these sources could be made available, these is no reason why our new high school could not be one of the best in the state.

CONCLUSION

This is my last report as your superintendent, as I shall retire on August 31, 1955. Since I came in 1934 many changes have taken place. One-room schools have been replaced by new and modern buildings. School enrollments have increased; courses in shop have been added to our high schools; a good program of music education has been carried on; school nurse services and excellent school lunches are now available in every school. However, the most important part of any school program is what happens when the teacher meets the pupil day by day. All our expensive equipment, beautiful buildings, and comprehensive curricula will count for but little without devoted and capable teachers, and pupils who are willing to apply themselves and strive to improve.

These twenty-one years have been very pleasant ones to me, and I am very grateful for the fine cooperation of school boards and teachers, and the friendly spirit of the people in this union. I wish for my successor the same cordial welcome and hearty support that you have given me, and that he will feel the same thrill that I always experience when a child greets me with a smile and wave of the hand, and says, "Hi, Mr. Bushnell!"

Respectfully submitted,

ALMON W. BUSHNELL

Superintendent

School Board's Budget

FOR THE YEAR 1955-56

Figures in the right hand column below represent amounts required for the support of public schools and other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1955.

The first column shows the actual amount spent during the fiscal year of 1953-54. The middle column shows the amounts voted at the 1954 district meeting. These columns are for comparison purposes.

	Expended 1953-54	*Voted in 1954-55*	*Estimate 1955-56*
Administration — Local			
District Officers' Salaries	$ 205.00	$ 209.00	$ 235.00
Per Capital Tax	162.00	170.00	170.00
Census, Truant Officer	15.00	15.00	15.00
Other Expenses of Administration	24.55	50.00	70.00
District's Share — Union Expense			
Superintendent's Salary	211.29	205.20	213.30
Supt's Secretary & Union Treasurer	141.41	147.15	131.54
Director of Guidance			118.50
Other Union Expenses	139.16	147.15	132.72
Instruction			
Teachers' Salaries	6,134.39	6,000.00	9,250.00
Textbooks	205.60	275.00	250.00
Scholars' Supplies	294.25	400.00	400.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	331.12	650.00	700.00
Operation of School Plant			
Janitors' Salaries	358.00	400.00	500.00
Fuel	533.28	450.00	600.00
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	193.45	250.00	250.00
Maintenance of School Plant			
Repairs and Replacements	467.84	400.00	400.00
Auxiliary Activities			
Health Supervision	495.31	500.00	500.00
Transportation	3,672.00	4,340.00	4,340.00
Tuition	6,877.90	9,300.00	8,200.00
Special Activities		100.00	100.00
School Lunch	909.86	800.00	700.00
Fixed Charges			
Retirement	438.69	425.00	820.00
Insurance		25.00	150.00
Capital Outlay			
Improvements to Grounds			1,500.00
New Equipment		150.00	900.00
Total Exp. or School Approp.	$21,810.10	$25,408.50	$30,646.06

RECEIPT ITEMS (Actual or Estimated)

Balance	$ 1,045.83	$ 580.09	$
Federal Aid (Lunch)	139.53		
Other		76.00	
Trust Fund	150.00	150.00	150.00
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	20,724.83	24,602.41	30,496.06
Total Appropriation	$22,060.19	$25,408.50	$30,646.06

Report of Superintendent of Schools

TEACHERS AND PUPILS

Our teaching staff this year has two new members. Mrs. Catherine LaCasse is the teacher in the primary grades (1, 2 and 3) and Louis J. Celona is our new supervisor of music.

Considerable interest and enthusiasm is being shown in music this year, as an instrumental class in band music has been organized which meets weekly under Mr. Celona's direction.

Provision for our 7th and 8th grade pupils continues to be a problem. Last year some went to Meredith and some to Moultonboro. This year, because of crowded conditions, these schools could not accept grade 7, and we have added these six pupils to Mrs. Bickford's class, giving her four grades instead of three. Next year Moultonboro will have no room. Meredith will accept our twelve pupils if an extra teacher can be provided. We are faced with the alternative of opening the Town House school for a class of 12—and it seems more desirable, educationally and financially, to pay for one teacher at Meredith than to do this.

COOPERATIVE SCHOOL

Our proposal last year of a joint cooperative arrangement with Meredith for all elementary and secondary pupils was not accepted by the voters at the organization meeting. A proposal for cooperation for grades 7 - 12 is being considered, as explained in the supervisory union report, and Center Harbor has voted favorably on this item.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

With some assistance from the PTA, we have provided a small activity room back of the school kitchen. This is in use much of the time—it serves as a lunch room, a place for study groups or handwork activities, and a rehearsal room. Such a place has long been needed in our school.

The heating system at our school has proved expensive and not very reliable. A proposal to replace our floor heaters with a dependable central heating system is suggested in the school warrant. An extensive remodeling such as this raises the question as to whether we are to continue to use our present quarters, to build a new school, or to make further efforts in the direction of cooperation with other districts on the elementary level. This question deserves careful study, and I suggest a committee be given this assign-

ment, perhaps to report at an adjourned meeting to vote on the warrant article.

The addition to our grounds, so generously donated to the district a year or so ago, needs plenty of work with heavy machinery to make it usable as a playground. An item of $1,500 has been included in the budget for this purpose.

OUTDOOR EDUCATION

No aspect of educational advance has proved more satisfying to pupils, teachers and parents than outdoor education activities. In our school this April, the seventh grade plans to spend one week at Camp Sargent in Peterboro.

A few days at camp, properly directed, can be an important educational experience. It should not become just an outdoor vacation. (a) Learning and living are closely connected; direct instruction is longer remembered, and school books become more meaningful. (b) Pupils learn to appreciate parents, teachers and classmates. When lights are low, pupils are encouraged to speak from the heart. "I never realized how hard my mother has to work till I served on all the committees at camp—making breakfast, washing dishes, sweeping, gathering wood, caring for my clothes." (c) Better community relations are developed. As parents and teachers work together in planning for a week at camp—and when parents' night at camp is observed—teachers, parents and pupils grow to understand one another better. (d) Learning is stimulated. Besides direct instruction in science, nature, conservation, geography, history, etc., there is enthusiastic overflow into oral and written English. Boys who never wanted to talk to a large group before now have something they want to say. There are letters of thanks to be written, items for the newspaper, accounts to keep, etc. (e) Better relations are developed among faculty members. Outdoor education projects are a common meeting ground for teachers of physical education, of science, home economics, shop, etc.

Located as we are in one of the most beautiful spots in God's creation, it is fitting that special effort be made to bring our young people into closer contact with nature. In addition to the week to be spent while in the seventh grade, I believe it would be worthwhile for younger classes to attempt a class experience overnight or for a weekend at some suitable location near school. If two or more small groups from different schools could plan this together, it should be even more valuable.

TEACHERS' WORKSHOP

Our teachers' annual workshops are now traditional in this union. From their very inception they have been suc-

cessful, covering a wide range of subjects, such as: conservation, music, techniques in teaching reading, guidance, etc. This past November the workshop was held for three days at the Moultonboro Central School. The theme was based on Moral and Spiritual Values. At first glance, this might seem a matter for controversy and argument. Rather, it proved to be a topic of vital, current importance which drew only very healthy and constructive discussion in the various groups. On the opening morning, Rev. Mark Strickland of Manchester was the key-note speaker. All local clergy, both Protestant and Catholic in this area were invited to attend and a few of them were present and contributed much in discussion groups. Also invited were parents and PTA members. Included among our outstanding consultants were Miss Anita Petrucci and Miss Pollyanne Andem, both of whom are English teachers in the high school in Weymouth, Mass., where a program for strengthening the moral and spiritual values of pupils has been undertaken with noteworthy success. Other consultants from educational circles in our own state came from Concord, Plymouth, Holderness and Laconia. It seemed to be the concensus of opinion among our consultants and our teachers that this workshop was our "best yet."

Respectfully submitted,

ALMON W. BUSHNELL

Superintendent

Report of School Nurse

On the second Monday of each month several children attend the orthopedic clinic at Laconia; some have flat feet and others have back defects. These clinics are sponsored by the N. H. State Department of Health—Crippled Children's Services.

The heights and weights were recorded in May and again in September, in addition to the routine inspections.

Hearing tests are made on all children in grades 1, 4 and 7 each school year. Children having a hearing loss reported the previous year are re-checked. This testing is done with a Maico audiometer, in March and again in November.

Forty-four children were given the tuberculosis patch test in April.

We were very fortunate in having our PTA sponsor the dental program for cleaning of teeth and fluorine treatments in June.

Belknap county was selected as one area for a demonstration of the effectiveness of the special vaccination for polio with the Salk vaccine. The clinics were held May 6th and 13th and June 9th. Center Harbor was 100%—we must be real pioneers!

We greatly appreciate the donation of vitamin pills furnished by the local Red Cross chapter.

Physical examinations were finished in November by Dr. Walker. Fifty children were examined. We were grateful for the new room at the school available for these examinations. In my capacity as a school nurse, my territory embraces the towns of Holderness, Moultonboro, Center Harbor, Sandwich, Freedom, Effingham and Madison. From this area there are four known cases of children suffering from epilepsy. The Center Harbor public library now has the book, "Science and Seizures" by Wm. G. Lennox, M. D., having purchased this at my request. The State Library in Concord also has this book. This should be of interest to our parents and I recommend it highly—it should help parents and teachers better to understand the children afflicted in this way.

Respectfully submitted,

AMY L. BROWN, R. N.

School Nurse

Table of Attendance Statistics

For Year Ending June 30, 1954

School and Teacher	*Number half days school in session*	*Total enrollment*	*Number of pupils Ave. membership*	*Percent of Attendance*	*Pupils not absent or tardy entire yr.*
Grammar Room Elva Bickford	350	23	20.54	94.25	0
Primary Room Eben R. Allen	350	27	25.32	91.85	0
All Schools	350	50	45.86	93.05	0

TEACHING STAFF & SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

FALL — 1954

GRAMMAR — Elva Bickford Grades 4, 5, 6 & 7....25
PRIMARY — Catherine LaCasse Grades 1, 2 & 3....22

1954-55 Tuition Pupils

In Ashland Schools:

Grade 1
Frank McClay

In Laconia High School:

Grade 9
Robert Libby
Nancy White

Grade 10
Francis Horne

Grade 11
Alan Hale

Grade 12
Melvyn Hale
Wayne King
John Libby

In Moultonboro School:

Grade 8
Steven Carr
Carol Drugg
Robert Heath
David Matheson

In Meredith Schools:

Grade 8
Gail Mudgett
Bryan Thomas
Wilson Earl

Grade 10
Eugene Earl
Peter Kelley
Wayne Mudgett

Grade 9

Henry Scott
Carolyn Taylor
Beverly Racine
Ronald Thomas

Grade 11

Sandra Taylor
Terrill Thomas

Grade 12

David Mudgett
Keith Mudgett
Dennis Mudgett
Eleanor Sweetland

Real Estate Assessments for the Year 1954

Resident Invoice and Taxes for 1954

	Valuation	Total Valuation	Taxes	Poll Tax
Alban, Charles B. and Irene				$2.00
Highland Park	$4,500.	$	$175.50	2.00
Alexander, Henrietta				
High Haith	3,000.		117.00	
Allen, Russell W. and Jean E.				2.00
Land and Bldg. #1	1,800.			2.00
Land and Bldg. #2	1,600.	3,400.	132.60	
Amabile, Angelina and Nearborn, Camilla				
Lakeside	4,800.		187.20	
Anagason, Theodore				
Cram Farm	7,000.			
Linger Longer Lodge	900.	7,900.	308.10	
Anderson, Rutherford and Dorothy				2.00
Homestead	800.			2.00
Cattle	500.	1,300.	50.70	
Anthon, Lucy I.				
Homestead	3,300.		128.70	
Band, Center Harbor				
Band Room	100.		3.90	
Bartlett, Norriss and Lillian				2.00
Homestead	2,600.			2.00
Cattle	625.	3,225.	125.78	
Barnard, Aaron C. and Norma				
Land and Bldg.	1,800.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	800.	31.20	
Benoit, Robert W. and Barbara B.				
Land, House & Greenhouse	3,700.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	2,700.	105.30	
Benson, Dorothea				
Morningside	3,500.		136.50	
Boutwell, Margaret				2.00
Boutwell, Floyd				
Garage Site	400.		15.60	
Bickford, Minot and Etta W.				
Homestead	2,400.		93.60	
Bickford, Clarence and Elizabeth				
Land and Residence	5,000.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	4,000.	156.00	
Blaisdell, Harry				
Clark Place	700.		27.30	
Blanchard, John and Helen				2.00
Harbor Inn	4,000.			2.00
Cabins	1,200.	5,200.	202.80	
Blackey, Lloyd				2.00
Hershey House	1,300.		50.70	
Blackey, Agnes				2.00
Blackey, Catherine				2.00

Resident Invoice and Taxes for 1954

	Valuation	Total Valuation	Taxes	Poll Tax
Borrell, Charles and Grace				
Quincy Place	6,000.			2.00
Gibson Farm	100.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	5,100.	198.90	
Bragg, Evangeline and Orrin				2.00
Land and Bldg.	2,100.		81.90	2.00
Boynton, Ralph W. and Lorraine				
Homestead	2,200.			2.00
Cattle	125.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,325.	51.68	
Brandford, Est. of Fred				
Homestead	4,800.		187.20	
Brown, Clyde C. and Amy L.				2.00
Land and Bldg.	2,800.			2.00
Beede Lot	200.		117.00	
Brown, Floris and George				2.00
Armstrong Lot	300.			2.00
Greenhouse	100.	400.	15.60	
Brown, Irving and Ruth				2.00
Land and Bldg.	3,000.		117.00	2.00
Burroughs, Grace T.				2.00
Caverly House	1,400.		54.60	
Brooks, Freeman and Ethel				
Land and Bldg.	4,000.		156.00	
Clark, Warren D. and Anna				
Land and Bldg.	2,600.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,600.	62.40	
Carpenter, Elizabeth				2.00
Carr, Donard and Hazel				
Land and Bldg.	2,650.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,650.	64.35	
Chase, Maurice				2.00
Chase, Francis				2.00
Coe, Est. of F. Sumner				
Glen Coe	9,500.			
Pasture	350.	9,850.	384.15	
Conn, Ralph and Mary				2.00
Land	100.		3.90	2.00
Copp, George and Pauline				
Smith Land	1,000.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.			
Copp, Lillian				2.00
Smith Land	900.		35.10	
Cross, Mary and Earl				2.00
Part of King Place	1,400.			
Cattle	165.	1,565.	61.04	
Collins, Orin and Ruth				2.00

Resident Invoice and Taxes for 1954

	Valuation	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*	*Poll Tax*
Livestock	1,470.		57.33	2.00
Collins, Fred				
Collins, Barbara				2.00
Dane, Est. of H. P.				
Quincy Farm	10,000.			
Garage, House and Stable	20,000.			
Clark-Bickford-Brown	1,600.			
Kelsey Farm	1,700.			
Sturtevant Farm	250.			
Arnold-Butterfield	2,000.			
Leavitt-Johnson	700.			
Sutton Farm	6,500.			
Garnet Hill	2,200.			
Keyser Lot	500.			
The Oaks	5,000.			
Stanley Place	5,900.			
Green Lot	800.			
Philbrook Lot	200.			
Briars Greenhouse	9,000.			
Briars Farm	1,500.			
Moulton Farm	8,500.			
Moulton Cottage	1,200.	77,975.	3,041.03	
Dane, Edward				
Cook Woods	3,000.			
Hillcrest	9,000.			
Piper Farm	3,800.			
Armstrong Woods	23,000.			
½ Mile Island	500.	39,300.	1,532.70	
Dane, E. B. Jr.				
Armstrong Pond Pastures	8,000.			
Coe Farm	15,000.	23,000.	897.00	
Davis, Clarence				2.00
Homestead	1,300.		50.70	
Dow, Richard and Olive				
Cottage and Garage	900.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	900.			
Dunn, William S. and Ora				2.00
Cram Place	1,600.		62.40	2.00
Dunn, William Jr.				
Dunn, Mary				2.00
Dyer, James F. and Raymond				
Twin Gates	8,500.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	7,500.	292.50	
Dyer, Bertha				2.00
Dyer, Jane				2.00
Dennis, Ann				2.00
Dennis, John				2.00

Resident Invoice and Taxes for 1954

	Valuation	Total Valuation	Taxes	Poll Tax
Earl, L. Beulah and O. Edward				2.00
Mayo Farm	3,200.			2.00
Cabins	2,800.			
Town House Land	50.			
Stock In Trade	50.	6,100.	237.90	
Eastman, Elsie				2.00
½ Homestead	1,200.			
Cattle	200.	1,400.	54.60	
Eastman, Lewis				
½ Homestead	1,200.			
Cattle	300.	1,500.	58.50	
Eastman, Sam H.				2.00
Faulkner, Anna				2.00
Flanders, John and Irene				2.00
Land and Bldg.	800.		31.20	2.00
Fifield, Charles D.				
Kimball Homestead	1,500.		58.50	
Forbes, Elmer and Mary				2.00
House & Lake Frontage	6,500.		253.50	2.00
French, Adele and Millicent				2.00
Land and Bldg.	2,200.		85.80	
Fuller, Fannie				
Homestead	1,400.			
Morse Place	150.			
Goats	40.	1,590.	62.01	
Garland, Harold H. and Rhena				
Homestead	2,200.			2.00
Smith House Lot	300.	2,500.	58.50	
Garnet Hill Grange				
Grange Hall	2,200.		85.80	
Gilpatrick, Bernice				2.00
Land and Bldg.	2,800.		109.20	
Geddes, Ella				2.00
Land and Bldg.	3,800.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	2,800.	109.20	
Hawkins, C. E.				2.00
Land and Bldg.	4,000.		156.00	
Haines, George C. and Y. Ann				
Land and Bldg.	2,500.			2.00
York Lot	100.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,600.	62.40	
Haines, George C. and Laura				2.00
Homestead	1,700.			2.00
Cow	100.	1,800.	70.80	
Haines, Charles				Vet.

Resident Invoice and Taxes for 1954

	Valuation	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*	*Poll Tax*
Hale, Dr. Melvin and Ruth P.				2.00
Land and Bldgs.	8,500.			2.00
C. Berry Homestead	2,800.			
Davis Woodlot	200.			
Cattle	1,650.	13,150.	512.85	
Hanks, Nan				2.00
Davis Wood Lot	100.		3.90	
Hanks, Ruth				2.00
Haslam, Millard and Janet				
Land and Bldgs.	2,200.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,200.	46.80	
Hawkins, Nelson				2.00
E. Hawkins Homestead	1,200.			
Land	1,900.			
Goats	250.	3,350.	130.65	
Heath, Everett and Madeline				2.00
Land and Residence	3,300.			2.00
Store	7,200.			
Stock in Trade	6,000.	16,500.	643.50	
Land and Residence	4,200.		163.80	
Houston, Charles and Carol				2.00
Canney Farm	800.			2.00
Part of Kelsey Farm	800.			
Jackson Farm	7,800.			
Boody Lot	300.			
Cattle	2,500.	12,200.	475.80	
Horne, John and Gertrude				2.00
House and Stable	2,300.			2.00
Horses	85.	2,385.	93.02	
Hoyte, Nathaniel and Mary				
Camp and Lot	400.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	400.			
Hotchkiss, Pratt and Herta				2.00
Land and Bldg.	6,000.			2.00
Goat	10.	6,010.	234.39	
Hutchins, Alpheus and Laura				2.00
Land and Bldg.	2,800.		109.20	2.00
Hutchins, Alpheus, Jr.				2.00
Lot	500.		19.50	
Herbert, Dorothy				2.00
Herbert, Bernice				2.00
Hubbard, Roger				2.00
Jewett, John				2.00
Land and Residence	4,200.		163.80	
Johnson, Richard				2.00
Kelley, Austin J.				2.00
Kelley, Mary				2.00

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	Valuation	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*	*Poll Tax*
Kelley, Percy and Ethel				2.00
E. Perkins Homestead	2,800.		109.20	2.00
Kelley, Carrie E.				
Land and Bldg.	1,750.		68.75	
Kelley, Heirs of Lewis				
Lot	50.		1.95	
Kelley, Roger				2.00
Kelley, Nancy				2.00
Kelley, Stewart R. and Georgiana				2.00
Homestead	1,500.			2.00
Cow	125.	1,625.	63.38	
Kelley, Carrie H. and Raymond				2.00
House and Boat House	2,600.			
Nichols Lot	200.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,800.	70.20	
Kimball, Marion				2.00
King, Bernard and Lucille				2.00
Homestead and Camp	550.		21.45	2.00
Keewatin Farm				
Homestead	30,000.			
Merrill Land	2,000.			
Coffin-Clifton Land	8,000.			
Davis Farm	2,000.			
Swain Land	800.			
Whiting Land	2,700.			
Brewer Cottage	1,000.			
Putnam Place	200.			
Searing Land	1,000.			
Cox Land	300.			
Cattle	6,100.	54,100.	2,109.90	
Hovden, Pauline Knight				
Davis Homestead	5,000.		195.00	
Kooperman, Louis				2.00
Kooperman, Sarah				2.00
LaCasse, Neil and Catherine				
Land and Residence	3,200.			2.00
Land on Squam	500.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	2,700.	105.30	
Leavens, Rose				2.00
Hidden Springs Cabins	1,800.			
Camp and Berry Land	1,650.	3,450.	134.55	
Latuch, Bertram				2.00
Libby, William and Gladys				2.00
Homestead	1,800.		70.20	2.00
Liljaholm, Ellen				2.00

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	Valuation	Total Valuation	Taxes	Poll Tax
Locke, Rachel M. and Marshall E.				2.00
Marston Land	100.			
Lakeside	2,800.	2,900.	113.10	
Lockwood, Edgar and Veda				2.00
House and Shop	2,200.		85.80	2.00
Lord, Olive F.				
Cram Farm	800.			
True Farm	3,000.			
Webster Lot	1,400.			
Ramsay Lot and Camp	1,800.			
Truesdale Lot	400.	7,400.	288.60	
Lord, Gerald				
Lord, Lee				2.00
MacAllister-Brown-Chase				
Robinson Lot	100.		3.90	
MacAllister, John and Dorothy				
Hedgecroft	5,500.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	4,500.	175.50	
MacGregor, James and Rob Roy				2.00
Hooper Place	15,000.		585.00	
Mack, Raymond E. and Norma L.				
Perkins Land	400.		15.60	
Matheson, L. Keith and Lucile				2.00
Land and Bldg.	3,200.		124.80	2.00
Matheson, Daniel				2.00
McClay, Theodore				
McClay, Ruth				2.00
Manville, Eugene and Priscilla				
Brandford Lot	50.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	50.			
Manville, Leon and Lizzie				
Land and Bldg.	2,400.		93.60	2.00
Marston, Phillip M.				2.00
Homestead	2,600.		101.40	
Martin, Herbert and Gertrude				
Spring House	2,600.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,600.	62.40	
Morrill, Est. of L. B.				
Land and Bldg.	2,500.		97.50	
Moulton, Lewis				2.00
Mudgett, Elisha				2.00
Mudgett, Myrtle				2.00
Moulton, Mary				2.00
McGouey, Elizabeth				2.00
Hickey Place	1,700.		66.30	

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	Valuation	Total Valuation	Taxes	Poll Tax
Newman, Camp Cardinal				
Main House	4,000.			
Caretaker's Cottage	800.			
Recreation Halls	4,000.			
Outbuildings and Land	9,000.			
Timber	4,600.			
Boats	200.	22,600.	881.40	
Nelson, Gustave and Edna J.				2.00
McCrillis Hill Farm	2,700.			2.00
Cow	100.	2,800.	109.20	
Nichols, Clarence and Minnie				2.00
Store	6,100.			2.00
House and Land	3,000.			
Cottage	1,600.			
Smith Lot	600.			
Stock in Trade	3,500.	14,800.	577.20	
Nicholson, George				
Homestead	3,000.			
Davis Field	300.			
Jenness Land	250.			
Cattle	1,850.	5,400.	210.60	
Obert, Bertrice				2.00
The Locusts	5,500.		214.50	
Olson, Hannah L.				2.00
Simmonds Cottage	2,400.			
Lot	75.	2,475.	96.52	
Payson, Ida M.				2.00
Pearce, James and Janeth				
Garnet Inn	17,500.			2.00
MacDonald Land	400.			
Coe and Webster Land	200.	18,100.	705.90	
Pelley, Edward E. and Lottie				
Part of Mansfield Land	1,250.			2.00
Camp	1,200.	2,450.	95.55	
Perkins, Paul and Edna				2.00
Homestead	4,000.			2.00
Hawkins Land	200.			
Camps	2,000.			
Clark Farm	700.			
Sanborn Farm	300.			
Cattle	300.	7,500.	292.50	
Plume, Grace				
Caverly Place	600.		23.40	
Poff, Helen and Percy				2.00
Land and Bldg.	3,900.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	2,900.	113.10	
Racine, Harry				2.00

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	Valuation	Total Valuation	Taxes	Poll Tax
Racine, Josie				2.00
Rand, Sylvester and Athalie				2.00
Land and Bldg.	3,000.			2.00
Benson Land and Shop	200.			
Stock in Trade	1,000.			
Mills and Machinery	2,000.	6,200.	241.80	
Randall, John				2.00
Randall, Ellen				2.00
Sanborn, Loui L. and Mary				
Lot #2	500.		19.50	
Sargent, Granville				
House	800.		31.20	
Scott, Herbert				2.00
Woodman, Marion and Smith, Elena B. C.				2.00
Homestead	3,500.		136.50	
Smith, Marjorie				2.00
Horses	200.		7.80	
Smith, Harold and Mabel				2.00
Camp and Lot	200.			2.00
Homestead	1,600.	1,800.	70.20	
Smith, Ralph and Thelma				2.00
Miller Place	1,400.		54.60	2.00
Smith, Cy and Susie				
M. Elliott Homestead	1,500.		58.50	
Sturviis, Raymond and Gertrude				
Land and Bldg.	2,900.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	1,900.	74.10	
Swinnerton, Clara				
Homestead	2,200.		85.80	
Swinnerton, Lester and Alice				2.00
Pelley Lot and Bldg.	3,100.			2.00
Stock in Trade	200.			
Wood and Lumber	150.	3,450.	134.55	
Sprague, Henry				2.00
Sprague, Elaine				2.00
Sweetland, Orin H. and Mary				2.00
Pelley Camp and Land	5,800.		226.20	2.00
Taylor, Averill				2.00
Taylor, Gerald				2.00
Cottage and Camp	1,900.			
Cows	200.	2,100.	81.90	
Taylor, Gerald, Jr. and Elizabeth				
Pelley Land and Cottage	1,000.			2.00
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.			
Taylor, Gertrude				
Land and Bldg.	4,000.		156.00	

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	Valuation	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*	*Poll Tax*
Thompson, Phoebe				2.00
Land and Bldg.	1,500.		58.50	
Tibbetts, Cedric				2.00
Tibbetts, Lina				2.00
Tobynne, Albert and Adele				2.00
Land and Bldg.	5,500.		214.50	2.00
Webster, Edward				
Camp and Pasture	700.			
Wood Lot	500.			
Field and Garage	50.			
J. C. Davis Field	175.			
Lot from Upton	300.			
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.	725.	28.28	
Weeks, Ira M. and Eliza P.				2.00
Bartlett Land	250.		9.75	2.00
Weeks, Ira, Jr. and Eloyd				2.00
Land and Bldg.	1,100.		42.90	2.00
White, Hazel				2.00
Land and Bldg.	1,500.		58.50	
White, Peter and Lillian				2.00
Land and Bldg.	1,500.		58.50	2.00
Williams, Robert				2.00
Williams, Pauline				2.00
Wentworth, Robert				2.00
Wentworth, Alice				2.00
Wing, Earl and Marion				
Cottage and Shop	2,000.		78.00	
Woodman, Ruth H. and Raymond				2.00
Camp	1,300.		50.70	2.00
Woodman, Harrison P.				2.00
Woodman, Ella M. and Edward				2.00
Camp	300.		11.70	2.00
York, Beatrice				2.00
Homestead	2,000.			
H. P. Smith Land	150.			
Cattle	500.	2,650.	103.35	

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Atwood, Helen			
H. P. Page Homestead	$7,000.00		
Land from Bennett	1,300.00	$8,300.00	$323.70
Avery, Fred A.			
Piper Farm	400.00		
Lunt Property	1,500.00	1,900.00	74.10
Avery, Benard F. and Wilder, R. M.			
Searing Land	1,400.00		54.60
Batchelder, Heirs of B. C.			
Wood Lot	200.00		
Veteran's Exemption	200.00		
Bates, Winnifred			
Warner Camps	1,800.00		70.20
Barton, Norman L. and Evelyn N.			
Camp Mayo Shore	1,000.00		39.00
Baxter, John and Dorothy			
Huntress Homestead	500.00		19.50
Beij, Pierce H.			
Sanborn Land	200.00		7.80
Bellavance, Helen S.			
York Lot and Camp	1,800.00		70.20
Bennett, Albert			
Piece of Amabile Land	100.00		3.90
Blake, Albert P.			
Camp Lot	100.00		3.90
Blake, Morris S.			
Camp, Hawkins Pond	200.00		7.80
Boyle, Pearl			
Mudgett Place	2,200.00		
Pasture	100.00	2,300.00	89.70
Boyd, Fred			
Camp Lot	100.00		3.90
Bowerman, John and Lillian			
Camp	1,800.00		70.20
Brashares, Julia			
True Wood Lot	150.00		5.85
Brashares, Charles			
True Homestead	2,300.00		89.70
Bennett, Irma and Lawrence			
Jenness Field	250.00		9.75
Bratt, Albert V. and Bratt, Albert, Jr.			
Mayo Camp #3	2,000.00		78.00
Boulton, Doris			
Land and Bldg.	1,900.00		74.10
Bratt, Albert V. and Madeline			
Mayo Camp #4	1,800.00		70.20

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Bratt, Ejnar, William and Adelaide			
Mayo Camp #6	1,800.00		70.20
Brown, Roger and Edith			
Land and Bldg.	1,200.00		46.80
Brunte, Ariel M.			
Camp and Lot	1,000.00		39.00
Burtt, Mildred L. and Jerome			
Land	300.00		11.70
Beam, Merrill			
Mile Island Camp	3,200.00		
Boat House	400.00	3,600.00	140.40
Campbell, Catherine			
Hack Land	1,000.00		
Cora Hartshorn Land	500.00	1,500.00	58.50
Caverly, Lewis P.			
Jenness Farm	1,100.00		
Philbrook Lot	75.00	1,175.00	45.82
Cheever, Dr. David			
Duck Island	250.00		
Little Duck	350.00	600.00	23.40
Coe, Dr. Albert B.			
Whitney Land and Bldg.	5,000.00		
Cottage	2,000.00	7,000.00	273.00
Chute, Maxwell W.			
Huckins Farm and Camp	3,500.00		136.50
Colby, Kenneth			
Wood Lot	200.00		
Veteran's Exemption	200.00		
Cowell, William J. and Gertrude			
Camp and Lot	1,300.00		50.70
Coolidge, J. H.			
Part of Long Island	1,800.00		70.20
Cox, Charles G.			
Land of Rose Leavens	50.00		1.95
Cushman, Horace and Louise			
Mayo Camp #1	1,700.00		66.30
Daigneau, Arthur			
Part of Haley Place	150.00		5.85
Derr, Mrs. Mary S.			
Kimball Island	4,800.00		187.20
Dodge, Henry			
Part of King Place	250.00		9.75
Dunklee, Hubert and Celia			
Cox Land	150.00		5.85
Drew, Kenneth E.			
Land of C. Gordon	100.00		3.90

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Dunnell, William, Jr.			
Part of Sturtevant Land	4,400.00		171.60
Davis, Donald			
Thompson Land	200.00		7.80
Diamond Match			
Wood and Lumber	5,500.00		214.50
Earl, Oriel and Florence			
Camp Lot and Field	1,200.00		46.80
Edminster, Howard and Elizabeth			
Gordon Place	2,500.00		97.50
Elcock, Mary			
High Haith	13,000.00		
Timber	3,000.00	16,000.00	624.00
Engle, Mary and Carl			
Land of Lockwood	100.00		3.90
Estes, Percy			
Bartlett Land	100.00		3.90
Ernst, John P.			
Weona Camp	1,800.00		
Camp Ernesta	1,800.00	3,600.00	140.40
Evans, Mrs. Elsie			
Camp Cooash Cuke	3,500.00		136.50
Fairclough, Herbert S.			
Newman Shore #3	800.00		31.20
Fisher, Bower and Ruth S.			
Point of Peace	1,500.00		58.50
Goguen, Ephraim			
Mayo #8	900.00		
Mayo Lot	300.00	1,200.00	46.80
Gibson, Ann Thompkins, Dr.			
Horne Lot	100.00		3.90
Gordon, Clarence I.			
Wood Lot	500.00		
Camp	400.00	900.00	35.10
Gordon, Marjorie			
The Oaks	1,350.00		52.65
Goldman, Estes and Simon			
Town House Cabins	4,000.00		156.00
Griffen, Archy			
Mead Shore #10	1,500.00		58.50
Griffen-Bear-Martin			
Huntress #2	1,500.00		58.50
Gulf Oil Corp.			
Gas Pump	85.00		3.32
Gurney, Margueritte			
High Haith	5,500.00		
Timber	500.00	6,000.00	234.00

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Hammond, Est. of Dr. Louise			
Camp and Lot #4 Mead	6,000.00		234.00
Hampshire Oil Co.			
Gas Pump	100.00		3.90
Harris, Est. of Marena			
High Haith	150.00		5.85
Hartshorn, Stewart			
Cora Hartshorn Land	1,100.00		
Hack Land	1,000.00		
Timber	1.500.00	3,600.00	140.40
Hawkins, Basil and Gladys			
Camp	2,600.00		101.40
Hennessy, John and Louise			
Crowning Land and Camp	2,500.00		97.50
Herrick, Harold A. and Ada			
Hallet Cottage	2,200.00		85.80
Huckins, Syd			
Thompson Land	200.00		7.80
Humphrey, Harrison C. P. and Edith			
Camp, Newman Shore	3,500.00		136.50
Hunt, C. P.			
Camp	800.00		31.20
Hughes, Richard and James			
Land and Bldg.	1,500.00		58.50
Ireland, Janet and Allan			
Mayo #10	2,000.00		78.00
James, William			
Mead Camp #8	1,650.00		64.35
Johnson, Charlotte E. and Virgil			
Part of Huntress Place	400.00		15.60
Johnson, George B.			
Camp Lot, Mead Shore	2,000.00		78.00
Keasby & Mattison			
Perkins Land	100.00		3.90
Libby, Mary L. and Hume, Ella Louise			
Crowney Place	3,100.00		120.90
Laconia Sand & Gravel			
Land on Route #3	200.00		7.80
Lake Transportation Inc.			
Sophie C. and Mt. Washington	63,500.00		2,476.50
Leavitt, Edith M.			
Tuttle Farm	2,000.00		78.00
LeBaron, Paul B.			
Fletcher Lot	2,800.00		109.20
Leland, Clarence and Ada			
Huckins Place	4,400.00		171.60

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Lloyd, Claude			
Hawkins, House	2,000.00		
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.00	1,000.00	39.00
Locke and Smith			
Land	200.00		7.80
Mitchell, Margurett K.			
Camp and Land	2,400.00		93.60
Mahoney, E. J.			
Squog Camp	2,800.00		109.20
Malm, Frank and Catherine			
Land and Bldg.	1,600.00		62.40
Macomber, Arthur			
Camp	1,500.00		58.50
Mallard, Agnes R.			
Land	400.00		15.60
Marcroft, Samuel J.			
Camp and Lot	1,500.00		58.50
McGuire, Mrs. M. M.			
Mead Shore #6	4,100.00		159.50
McIntyre, Florence			
Cottage	700.00		27.30
Miller, Allen			
The Jungle	6,700.00		261.30
Mead, Carey			
Estate	41,000.00		
Owl's Head	7,500.00		
Quincy Land	500.00		
Camp	2,500.00		
Land on Squam	1,000.00		
Boats and Gas Pump	450.00	52,950.00	2,065.05
Merrill, Heirs of H. E.			
True Wood Lot	150.00		
Part of Follet Place	200.00	350.00	13.65
Miller, Heirs of Etta J.			
Davis Cottage	1,000.00		
Bartlett Hill Pasture	600.00	1,600.00	62.40
Miller, Margaret			
Oak Hurst	3,500.00		
Fowl	125.00	3,625.00	141.38
Miller, Sutherland			
Preston Homestead	1,300.00		
	100.00	1,400.00	54.60
Mittleman, Bela			
House	1,600.00		
Land	650.00	2,250.00	85.75
Monell, Richard B.			
Camp Lot	300.00		11.70

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Moulton, Heirs of H. B.			
Camp Beatrice	1,400.00		54.60
Morrill, Fred L. and Dorothy D.			
Lot #3	400.00		15.60
N. H. Electric Coop. Electric Plants	3,700.00		144.30
Normandin, Lewis and Gladys			
School House	1,200.00		46.80
Ommerle, Harry G. and Katherine N.			
Newman Shore	800.00		31.20
O'Haire, Robert E.			
Land on Winn.	1,000.00		
Veteran's Exemption	1,000.00		
Page, Mrs. Harold S.			
Land on Gordon Shore	200.00		7.80
Poole, Martin and Mabel			
Huckins Land	2,500.00		97.50
Public Service Co. of N. H.			
Electric Plant	21,839.00		851.72
Pulsifer, Bertram			
Land on Hawkins Pond	300.00		11.70
Racine, Wendell			
Hardy Place	2,000.00		78.00
Ransom, Horace			
Davis Place	250.00		
Neil Land	200.00	450.00	17.55
Ransom, Sarah			
Lot #35	100.00		
Land of P. Knight	250.00	350.00	13.65
Red Wagon Corp.			
Colonial Land and Bldg.	9,000.00		351.00
Rees, Eleanor D.			
High Haith	500.00		19.50
Richter, Paul and Lillian			
House and Garage	4,400.00		171.60
Ridley, Mrs. H. S.			
The Alves	3,700.00		
Timber	850.00	4,550.00	177.45
Sayward, Una Walker			
Camp on Winona	1,300.00		50.70
Scribner, Lillian and Lyman			
Part of Hill Farm	400.00		15.60
Scott, Henry and Marjorie			
Fitzgerald Homestead	1,800.00		70.20
Sheen, William			
Camp and Lot, Mayo Shore	1,100.00		42.90
Shield, Laura			
Perkins Land	100.00		3.90

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Shiverick, Paul B.			
Fuller Land and Bldg.	1,300.00		50.70
Shultz, Roger and Dorothy			
Pout Ledge Camp	400.00		15.60
Simmonds, Rupert and Dorothy			
Homestead	900.00		35.10
Smith, H. Frank			
Bartlett Land	250.00		9.75
Sharron, Edward			
Land	50.00		1.95
Smith, Arthur and Addie; Preston, R. and Alice			
Huntress Camp #1	1,000.00		39.00
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.			
Gas Pumps	325.00		12.68
Splane, Robert and Edith			
Pout Ledge Camp	800.00		31.20
Sutcliffe, William and Marion			
Mayo Camp #5	1,500.00		58.50
Sweetnam, Janet N. and Floyd			
Chas. Newman Land	800.00		31.20
Smith, Aaron C. and Clark, Aaron			
Armstrong Farm	20,000.00		780.00
Thornton, Randall and Gertrude			
Part of Hawkins Land	1,300.00		50.70
Twombly, Gray and Alexander			
Huntington Place	8,000.00		
Boats	1,500.00	9,500.00	370.50
Varney, Frank R.			
Fox Place	5,500.00		214.50
Valpey, Theodore S.			
Merrill Land	1,700.00		66.30
Vogler, Wm. H. and Elinor			
Mouse Island and Camp	2,800.00		109.20
Valliere, Leo			
444 Club	500.00		
Veteran's Exemption	500.00		
Upton, Robert W.			
Boynton Land	200.00		7.80
Wallace, Harry			
Land on Rt. 3	700.00		27.30
Waibel, Arnold and Margaret			
I. Hickey Homestead	2,000.00		78.00
Westover, Eldon			
Camp	400.00		15.60
Wein, George R. and Marion			
Mayo #2	1,450.00		56.55

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Name and Description	*Valuation*	*Total Valuation*	*Taxes*
Walsch, Oscar			
Warner Camp	1,100.00		42.90
Wagonhofer, Florence			
Bates Warner Camp	1,200.00		46.80
Webster, Frank and Talbot, Mrs. Helen			
High Haith Land and Timber	6,300.00		245.70
White Mountain Power Co.			
Electric Plants	21,842.00		851.84
Whittesly, William J.			
Cottage	2,800.00		109.20
Whiting, Frederick			
Hawkins Pond Land and Camp	2,400.00		93.60
Wilkens, Beatrice			
Frost Cottage	2,000.00		78.00
White, Roy			
Hardy House #1	2,500.00		
Hardy House #2	2,200.00	4,700.00	183.30
Wildes, Percival			
Mayo Camp #7	1,300.00		50.70
Winnipesaukee Steam Ship Co.			
Land, Wharf and Equip.	16,500.00		
General	1,000.00	17,500.00	682.50
Winslow, Harold and Ethel			
Lot on Mayo Shore	1,800.00		70.20
New England Forestry, Inc.			
Wister Land	11,200.00		436.80
Woodworth, Gaylord and Avis			
Newman Shore Land	5,500.00		214.50

VITAL STATISTICS

Births

Registered in the Town of Center Harbor
For the Year Ending December 31, 1954

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Number	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
JAN.				
8	Sandra Ann	2	Alpheus F. Hutchins	Ann Christine Baxter
8	Janice Anne	3	John A. MacAllister	Dorothy Elizabeth Ford
MAY				
21	Mary Lou	1	Calvin W. Rolfe	Dorothy E. Kramer
JUNE				
16	Nancy Jean	7	Elisha W. Mudgett	Myrtle Victoria Fennell
24	Wesley Hall	2	Bryant L. Carpenter	Elizabeth Rich
AUG.				
8	Barbara Jean	3	Ronald E. Chase	Harriet Newell Hoyt
19	Stephanie Ellen	1	Wm. R. Wentworth	Alice Emma Nelson
OCT.				
11	Stephen Edwards	3	Bertram A. Latuch	Mary Eleanor Nelson
SEPT.				
28	Beverly Rose	4	Roscoe E. Wilmot	Arlene Gertrude Adams

Marriages

Registered in the Town of Center Harbor
For the Year Ending December 31, 1954

Date	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Age of Each	Name and Residence of Person by Whom Married
FEB.				
6	Oren T. Collins, Jr.	Center Harbor	19	Rev. W. R. Wentworth
	Edna Lue Veasey	Meredith, N. H.	15	Center Harbor, N. H.
20	Arnold C. Dunn	Center Harbor	22	Rev. Stanley M. Sprague
	Margaret L. Nelson	Plymouth, N. H.	20	Plymouth, N. H.
18	Joseph G. Kennedy	Meredith, N. H.	37	R. Gilman Lunt, J. P.
	Marjorie L. Collins	Center Harbor	24	Meredith, N. H.
MAR.				
31	Charles A. Haines	Center Harbor	26	Rev. Dean L. Hodges
	Mildred A. St. Cyr	Plymouth, N. H.	19	Plymouth, N. H.
AUG.				
25	David MacDonald	Center Harbor	27	Rev. R. E. Fillinger
	Evelyn M. King	Center Harbor	18	Meredith, N. H.
SEPT.				
18	David H. Collins	Center Harbor	18	Arthur W. Leaker
	Phyllis G. Bernard	Meredith, N. H.	18	Priest, Episcopal Church Ashland, N. H.

Deaths

Registered in the Town of Center Harbor

For the Year Ending December 31, 1954

Date of Death	NAME	Age	Place of Birth	Occupation
JAN.				
10	John Pigott	87	Nova Scotia	Contractor
26	Lizzie C. Granville	96	So. Berwick, Me.	At Home
27	Hepsibeth A. Smith	93	Ctr. Sandwich, N. H.	Housewife
FEB.				
9	Frederick S. Coe	78	New Hampshire	Retired Salesman
MAR.				
16	Nelson Bruno	65	Millington, Que.	Lumberman
10	Earl Julian Fuller	80	Massachusetts	Interior Decorator
15	Carl Clarke Paine	82	Center Harbor, N. H.	Farm Stock Hand
APR.				
12	Augustus S. Morton	88	Massachusetts	Retired Caretaker
MAY				
18	Theodosie M. Briggs	85	Belle Chasse, Que.	Housewife
JULY				
13	Harley E. Moulton	66	Sandwich, N. H.	Laborer
26	Minna B. Bramford	73	Latvia	At Home
30	Olive J. Lord	82	Fitchburg, Mass.	At Home
AUG.				
13	Ella Russell	88	Springfield, N. H.	Housewife
SEPT.				
21	Dean S. Sharman	90	E. Machias, Me.	Blacksmith
OCT.				
1	Frank E. Hoyt	85	Moultonboro, N. H.	Medical Doctor
9	Jack C. Armstrong	53	New Hampshire	Laborer
11	Laura E. Beacham	84	Truro, Nova Scotia	Housewife
23	Ernest Boucher	86	Canada	Foreman (Ret.)
NOV.				
18	Alice M. Houghes	81	Center Harbor, N. H.	Housewife
DEC.				
4	Katherine B. Cawley	86	Vermont	Housewife
12	Mary E. Sargent	81	Ellsworth, N. H.	At Home

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RAYMOND E. KELLEY
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CENTER HARBOR, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1954

	NAME OF TRUST FUND	PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND	How Invested	PRINCIPAL		INCOME				
				Balance Beginning Yr.	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
1913	B. M. Smith Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	$4,400.00	$4,400.00	$ 62.87	3	$134.87	$199.00	$48.74
		Support of Schools	U. S. Bonds	2,000.00	2,000.00		2½	50.00		
1926	William C. Jackson Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	200.00	200.00	40.41	3	7.26		47.67
1927	Maria Doe Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	250.00	250.00	161.09	3*	12.42		173.51
1927	Laura W. Coe Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	300.00	300.00		3	9.06		9.06
1929	Frank H. Morse Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	300.00	300.00	89.94	3	11.76		101.70
1930	Myra L. Hanson Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	100.00	100.00	20.20	3	3.63		23.83
1932	Frances L. Coe Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	100.00	100.00		3	3.02		3.02
1949	D. R. Slade Fund for Improvements	Town Improvem'ts	Bank Deposit	1,000.00	1,000.00	125.11	3	34.00	50.00	109.11
1950	Caroline P. Hill Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	500.00	500.00	45.32	3	16.48		61.80
1952	Caroline P. Hill Trust Fund	Medical & Hospital Care for Needy	Bank Deposit	*1,217.45	1,217.45	36.77	3	37.91		74.68
1953	John N. Davis Trust Fund	Care of Cemetery	Bank Deposit	300.00	300.00	3.74	3	9.16		12.90
		TOTALS		$10,667.45	$10,667.45	$585.45		$329.57	$249.00	$666.02

* Both Principal and Income to be used if necessary.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GEORGE E. HAINES
MAURICE C. CHASE
RAYMOND E. KELLEY

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